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## SOM Alumni Newsletter August 2018

Greetings!

I hope you have been enjoying the summer, and have been able to take at least some time to relax. We welcomed 99 new members of the Class of 2022 to the Zucker School of Medicine on July 26, hailing from 19 states, and including two students from the Medical Scholars Pipeline Program.

For those of you in the NYC area, we will be holding our fall happy hour in Manhattan on **Wednesday, September 12** at **Latitude Bar & Lounge** (783 8th Ave. between 47th and 48th). Please RSVP by responding to this email to let me know if you're able to attend - drinks, food, and good company expected (maybe even a surprise guest star)!

All of us at the school would love to hear what you are up to, and if your education and career are taking you to new places! For those of you who are completing residency, it would be great to hear what your next step is. I've created an online form that you can use to update your contact information, let us know of any honors, awards, publications, or personal events that we can share! Please visit the [website](#) and let us know what is new!

As always, please feel free to reach out at [SOMAlumni@hofstra.edu](mailto:SOMAlumni@hofstra.edu) with any news, updates, or questions. Looking forward to hearing from you soon!

All the best,

Anne Dalgish Koestner  
Director of Development and Alumni Affairs

### News from the Zucker School

#### Alumni News:

Save the date for **Wednesday, September 12th's** happy hour in Manhattan - **Latitude Bar & Lounge** (783 8th Ave. between 47th and 48th).

Are you interested in hosting a 4th year student as they embark on interview season? Please email [SOMAlumni@hofstra.edu](mailto:SOMAlumni@hofstra.edu) if you'd like to participate!

Will you be attending the AAMC Conference in Austin in November? If so, and you are interested in getting together with alumni and faculty, please click [here!](#)

## Alumni Classnotes:

### **Class of 2015:**

- Shayna Carp has been chosen as Chief Resident in Emergency Medicine at Long Island Jewish Medical Center.
- Also here at Northwell, Shayna Sanguinetti has been chosen as Chief Resident in Neurology.

### **Class of 2017:**

- Gianna Sophia Sugarman arrived in the world on June 26 (Andrea Tufano-Sugarman) - mom and daughter are enjoying maternity leave together!



### **Class of 2018:**

- Rocio Crabb and Ryan Bedi were married in June in San Diego, then bought and moved to a house in New Orleans where they are now both in residency.



- Katie L'Abbate is engaged to be married to Armando Romeo in June of 2019
- In June, Kurt Lehner married Sarah Collica in Sicily. The couple is in residency at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore.
- Tyler Lopachin spoke to Leaders magazine about his experience at the Zucker School of Medicine.
- After intern year, Christine Park is engaged to be married to Geoff Dilly in June of 2019.

## **Student News:**

**Clinton Ehidom**, valedictorian of York College and incoming member of the class of 2022, was featured on NY1 as he selected the Zucker School of Medicine out of 7 medical schools he was accepted to.

**Wilderness Medicine Students to the Rescue** - On a recent excursion to Echo Lake, 17 Wilderness Medicine students assisted an injured hiker who needed urgent medical attention - highlighting the importance of our hands-on medical education. Please read more about these students here.



## Faculty News:

**Feinstein Institute researcher is recognized for anticoagulation management by IPRO** - Dr. Alex C. Spyropoulos earned the IPRO Quality Award in June.

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